



In re Application of: Hiroaki SATOH
 Application No. 09/271,447
 Filed: March 18, 1999
 For: Process For Forming A Pattern Of Fluorescent Substrate And Plasma Display Panel

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a response to an office action in the subject application.

Applicants claim small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.27.

Petition for Extension of Time

- Applicants petition for a one-month extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136, the fee for which is \$110.00 (enclosed).
- Applicants believe that no petition for an extension of time is necessary. However, to the extent that such petition is deemed necessary, Applicants hereby petition for a sufficient extension of time to render the present submission timely. Please charge Deposit Account No. 12-1216 for the appropriate petition fee.

No additional claim fee is required.

Other:

The claim fee has been calculated as shown below:

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- Any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for the presentation of extra claims.
- Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

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PLASMA DISPLAY PANEL

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 20, 2002, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks. Pages showing the requested changes are attached.

AMENDMENTS

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 1- 6, 8, 10-14 and 17-19 without prejudice. Replace the indicated claims with:

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20. (Amended) A process for forming a pattern of fluorescent substance into the cell of a fluorescent substance display substrate comprising providing inside the cell two separate layers which are (i) a resin composition (A) layer and (ii) a photosensitive resin composition (B) layer, exposing the layers to light, developing the exposed layers, and baking the developed layers; wherein the resin composition (A) layer consists essentially of an acrylic polymer (a) having a weight average molecular weight of 10000 to 300000 and an acid number of 80 to 250 mgKOH/g, a fluorescent substance (b), a compound containing at least one ethylenically unsaturated group (c) having a viscosity of 5-15000 mPa.sec at 20°C, and a polymerization inhibitor (d), and the resin composition (A) layer is disposed between the inside of the cell and the photosensitive resin composition (B) layer.

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